

Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 – Expedited Procedure

Serial No. 10/664,824

Examiner Nguyene Hoang Ngo

REMARKS

Claims 1-7 remain in this application. Claims 8 through 27 and 29 are canceled. Claims 28 and 30 are amended.

Allowable Subject Matter

The Office Action stated that claims 1 through 7 allowed. The Office Action also stated that claims 29, 31, 33 and 34 are objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. Claim 28 is amended above to include the limitations of claim 29. As such, the pending claims are allowable in accordance with the Office Action. For these reasons, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the amendment to the claims under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 on the grounds that the amendment places the application in condition for allowance. Should the Examiner have any further comments or suggestions, please contact Jessica Smith at (972) 240-5324.

Respectfully submitted,

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